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THE Pennſylvania GAZETTE.

Containing the freſheſt Advices Foreign and Domeſtick.

From Thurſday, May 4. to Thurſday, May 11. 1732.

LONDON, Dec. 4.

THERE are two Ships now fitting out at Deptford, of 400 Tons each, which are deſign'd for Madagaſcar, where they purchaſe Slaves at 7 or 8s. per Head, and carry them to Buenos Ayres, and there diſpoſe of them to the Spaniards for 600 Dollars each.

We hear that Sir John Jennings, and Sir Cha. Wager, are to be made Peers of Great Britain.

London, Jan. 13. They write from Leghorn the 29th paſt, that it had been obſerved, on the Britiſh Squadron's leaving that Place, that from the time of their Admiral making a Signal for Weighing, to the Time of their being all under Sail, was but an Hour and a Quarter; but that the Spaniſh Squadron, on the like occaſion, was 30 Hours doing the ſame.

Letters from Glouceſterſhire give a very melancholy Account of a Fire that happened on Monday the 3d Inſtant, at Lackington near Down-Amprey, in that County, which began about One a clock in the Afternoon, and conſumed the valuable Library, and moſt part of the Houſe of the Rev. Mr. Norwood, Lord of the Mannor; a Loſs much lamented by all the Neighbourhood, by whom he is very much valued. This Fire is ſaid to have been occaſioned by neglecting a Chafingdiſh of Charcoal, placed to dry a Room new waſh'd.

Paris, Feb. 1. A Project has been preſented to the Council of Commerce, and lies now under Examination, for improving the Colony of Miſſiſippi.

Briſtol, Feb. 8. The Misfortune which befel the Induſtry, belonging to Pool, from Carolina, the Maſter of which, Samuel Farewell, was drowned, is related thus. On the 13th of Jan. about 10 at Night, being then ſcudding before the Wind, which blew very hard, a great Swell of the Sea broke in over the After-part of the Ship, and waſhed overboard the ſaid Maſter and four of the Men; the latter all got ſafe on board again, by the Ropes they had faſten'd themſelves to, but nothing more was heard of the Captain. Juſt before this Accident happened, the Maſter perceiving a great Sea abaft, and fearing its breaking over the Ship, called to the Men to take Care of themſelves; which Precaution happily ſaved their Lives, tho' he was ſo unfortunate as to loſe his own.

Vienna, Feb. 9. Tis advis'd from Tranſilvania, that ſeveral thouſand Turks have been ſeen to aproach the Frontiers, in all Appearance to make an Invaſion: But that General Wallis, who commands there, had made ſuch good Diſpoſitions, that they thought fit to retire without making any Attempt; 'tis ſurmiſed they may be a Gang of Robbers; meanwhile the Court has ſent to Conſtantinople to demand Satisfaction.

London, Feb. 12. Yeſterday about 12 a clock, the Wind being very high, blew down a Chimney with a large Funnel, in the Palace of St. James's, which falling upon one Richard Boulton, a Centinel in Major Guiſe's Company, who was on his Poſt at the round Tower there, knocked him down, and bruiſed him in a very dangerous Manner.

His Royal Highneſs the Duke immediately ſent one of his Gentlemen to cauſe him to be let Blood; and his Majeſty was graciouſly pleaſed to ſend him by one of his Pages five Guineas, and ordered a Doctor and Apothecary to take Care of him, and report his Condition; and ordered him to be carried in a Chair to his Quarters, and all poſſible Care to be taken of him.

Her Majeſty was alſo graciouſly pleaſed to ſend the poor Man five Guineas by one of her Ladies, and a Bottle of Cordial Water and other Things to take home with him; and his Royal Highneſs the Duke, and their Royal Highneſſes the Princeſſes were pleaſed alſo to ſend him Money.

About five in the Evening the Duke was pleaſed to ſend a Gentleman to his Quarters to ſee if due Care was taken of him, purſuant to the generous Directions given by their Majeſties for that purpoſe.

The Money was depoſited in the Hands of Serjeant Effington, for the Uſe of the poor Man. *Ex-*

Extract of a private Letter from Paris.

The Power which has hitherto ſupported the Malcontents of Corſica, has at laſt taken off the Mask. France has in ſome Meaſure declared itſelf their Protector, by anſwering the Miniſter of Genoa, when he complained of it, that his moſt Chriſtian Majeſty expected they ſhould reſpect his Flag where-ever, or upon what Occaſion ſoever they meet it.

Thus we may obſerve, that there is a ſort of indirect War between the Imperialiſts and the French; the former being engaged to reduce the Malcontents, and the latter ſeeming inclinable to ſupport them at any rate.

Dublin, Feb. 12. On Wedneſday died the Hon. Robert Dixon, Eſq; one of the Judges of his Majeſty's Court of Common Pleas.

On Thurſday laſt died, in an advanced Age, Bernard Brown, Eſq; one of his Majeſty's Juſtices of the Peace for the County of Dublin.

Yeſterday Morning died Anth. Barry, Eſq; Alderman of this City.

The ſame Day, Dan. Faulkener, Eſq; Member of Parliament for the Borough of Baltinglaſs in the County of Wicklow, and an eminent Banker, was elected an Alderman of this City, in the Room of Alderman Philip Pearſon deceaſed.

Vienna, Feb. 13. Freſh Advices from the Frontiers confirm that the Turks go on briskly with their Preparations for War.

We have an Account from Corſica, that the Malcontents appear more ſtubborn than ever, and have lately ſhot the Son of one their Chiefs, charg'd with a Deſign to go over to the Republick. Since the War there, is become a more weighty Concern than was at firſt imagined, they talk of augmenting the Imperial Troops in that Iſland to 20000 Men, in order to reduce the Rebels before any other Power openly declares in their Behalf.

Hamburgh, Feb. 15. 'Tis adviſed from Dreſden, that on the 9th a Council of War was held there in the King's Preſence, wherein it was reſolved to ſend Orders to the Colonels of Foot, not only to have their Regiments compleat againſt the general Review in May next, but to augment them eight Men per Company.

London, Feb. 17. To day the Lords receiv'd a Meſſage from the Commons by Mr. Sandys and near 150 other Members, with the *Penſion Bill*, which being read a firſt Time, a certain Lord ſaid, That tho' he abhorr'd Corruption, yet this was ſuch a Bill that he deſired not to ſee it read again; and remark'd, that this was the third time it had come up in the ſame Words, and having been already twice rejected, he thought it was a great Diſreſpect paid to their Lordſhips; adding, that there was no Preamble to it, as is uſual in other Bills, and therefore moved to reject it. And another Lord ſaid, that he hated Corruption as much as any one that wore a Head, but that ſuch Bills as theſe were Offſprings of *wou'dbe* Miniſters. Thoſe who were for the Bill, argued, that they believed it to be a good one, and ſince the Commons had thrice paſt it, to clear themſelves of any Imputation of Corruption, they thought their Lordſhips ought to paſs it; and as to the Bill's having no Preamble, Silence often convey'd ſtronger Ideas to the Mind, than Words themſelves. At laſt, the Queſtion being put, whether to read it a ſecond time, the Houſe divided, *Content* 25, *Not content* 78, and the Proxies being called for, were, *Content* 15, *Not content* 17, which made the whole Number *Content* 40, *Not content* 95.

The Price of Salt is riſen from 40 *s.* to 6 *l.* per Ton.

London, Feb. 19. All the Diſcourſe of the Town is upon the going off of Mr. Randolph, the great Tobacco Merchant, three of whoſe Bondſmen are taken up and impriſoned for a very large Sum, amounting as is reported, to 50000 *l.* one of them is a Wharfinger near the Cuſtom-Houſe, another an Apothecary near Grace Church Street, and the third a Ropemaker near Shadwell.

From Vienna we hear, That the Emperor is augmenting his Naval Force upon the Danube about Belgrade, to 42 Ships of different Rates; and that the Turks likewiſe are augmenting their Fleet.

Yeſterday about Two in the Afternoon happen'd a Fire at Mr. Richard Blunt's, a Diſtiller in Breadſtreet, occaſion'd by a Bottle of Spirits falling down and breaking among ſome Wood Aſhes.

At the Lodge near Tower-Hill, a muſical Inſtrument-maker was lately made a Free-Maſon in the following Manner; firſt the Door-keeper pull'd off his Wig, and held a drawn Sword over his Head, while the two Wardens led him from one End of the Lodge Room to the other; then they put him on *Hiram's Mask*, which is painted half black and half white, with three Noſes, the Inſide was very *redolent* with an Ointment of *fæcal Matter* of a *Citron Hue*, and at the ſame time the Maſter pinn'd a Fox's Tail to his Coat; when the Mask was taken off the poor Man began to complain of *filthy Uſage*, but to quiet him they ty'd him in his Chair, and the Maſter held a pair of red hot Tongs ſo near his Cheek as to be ready to burn him, which put him into a terrible fright; the Wardens immediately roar'd in his Ears *Swanko* three times, then they aſperſed his Face with a *ſaline* Liquor of a *diaphanous* Nature, ſaying, *Now, Brother, you are in Urine.* The Wife hearing of this Diſaſter, was afraid they had made him only fit for the Opera, but all was reconciled by uſing ſome Means not proper to mention here.

London, Feb. 22. The important Affair relating to the *Sugar Colonies*, being to come on to morrow in the Honourable Houſe of Commons, there is publiſhed to day a Letter from a Merchant in Jamaica to his Friend in London, giving an Account of the preſent State and Condition of that Iſland; particularly, that for ſeven Years laſt paſt, inſtead of increaſing in the Number of their Inhabitants, they

they have decreaſed at leaſt one third, which renders the great Charges they are at for the neceſſary Support of the Government the more difficult and almoſt imſupportable to the few remaining Inhabitants: That all the European Markets, except Great Britain, are ſupplyed by the French and Dutch Sugar Colonies; and the Britiſh Northern Colonies, which now ſwarm with People, ſupply themſelves with Sugar & Meſſaſſes from the French & Dutch, ſo that all the Conſumption of the Britiſh Sugar Colonies is reduced to Great Britain only; which unhappy Circumſtances have ſtruck ſuch a Damp on the Inhabitants of Jamaica, that nothing is now heard but Preparations for Removing to the Northern Colonies. There are divers other particulars too long to inſert in this Paper, ſhewing the neceſſity of doing ſomething immediately to encourage the preſent Inhabitants to remain in that Country, and others to come, or it is to be fear'd that in caſe of a War, it will be ſo weak as to fall an eaſy Prey to their potent Neighbours the French at Hiſpaniola, who by the great Encouragement from their Mother Country, are within a few Years grown ſo numerous in their Settlements and Inhabitants, as gives a diſmal Proſpect to thoſe of the ſaid Iſland of Jamaica.

Prince William has raiſed a new Company of Grenadiers, compoſed of young Noblemen and others of Diſtinction, and takes great Pleaſure in exerciſing them.

London, Feb. 22. We are inform'd that His Majeſty will viſit his Dominions in Germany, ſoon after the Riſing of the Parliament.

At Weſtham Church laſt Sunday were married a Couple, whoſe Ages put together made upwards of 160 Years.

Extract of a private Letter from Paris.

The Armaments that are making in this Kingdom and Spain, have quite a different View from what is given out. Our Miniſters ſay they will be revenged on the Algerines, whom they ſuggeſt to have inſulted the French Flag; but thoſe who pretend to penetrate farther into the Secrets of the Cabinet, tell us, the Two Crowns begin to think in good earneſt of reuniting, now that Don Carlos is ſetled in Italy; and that poſſibly the Houſe of Bourbon may have their Eye upon all the Ports of the Mediterranean: That in Conſequence they may graſp at the Power of granting or refuſing the Liberty of Trading to Africa or the Levant, to what Nation they pleaſe. Neither is this all; they ſay further, that the Courts of France and Spain, who ſtill maintain a very ſtrict tho' ſecret Correſpondence, would yet be glad to jump at the delicious Morcels of Naples and Sicily; that they might thereby render all the petty Princes of Italy, and even the Pope himſelf Tributary to them; do the ſame thing by the Dutchies of Milan and Mantua; and oblige the King of Sardinia to give up Aleſſandria, and ſeveral other Towns belonging to the Milaneze, which were yielded to him by the Emperor Leopold. The Kingdoms of Bohemia and Hungary, are not (according to theſe Scheme-makers) a jot more ſecure than the States of Italy! They are both elective, ſay they; and it is not without Reaſon that our Court is ſo free of their Louis d' Ors, to fix the Crows of Denmark and Sweden in their Intereſts, as well as the Electors of Bavaria and Saxony, who are all provided with very good Reaſons not to accept the *Pragmatick Sanction*. This is the Train of Thinking ſome elevated People here are got into; but it ſounds too chimerical and romantic to find Belief.

London, Feb. 26. Yeſterday at 11 a clock, came on the Tryal of Mr. Atkinſon, for the Murder of his Mother, by throwing her down Stairs; and after a Tryal of about four hours, the Jury went out, and, after ſtaying about Half an Hour, gave in their Verdict Not guilty; and to the Indictment on the Coroner's Inqueſt, Accidental Death: Accordingly he was diſcharged the ſame Evening.

The King of Pruſſia, who for ſome Years has by Contract ſupplyed the Ruſſes with Woollen Cloth for clothing the Troops in that Empire, has, in order to encourage that Manufacture in his Dominions, laid a new Duty of 20 per Cent. on all Foreign Cloth imported at Koningsburgh; ſo that our Exports of Woollen Goods to that Place, which formerly were very conſiderable, are now entirely at an End.

We hear that Orders are given for all Officers abſent from their Companies, to repair with all convenient Speed to their reſpective Regiments at Gibraltar and Port Mahon.

Feb. 29. On Tueſday laſt died, at Paris, the Right Rev. Dr. Francis Atterbury, late Lord Biſhop of Rocheſter, aged near 70 Years: A Man univerſally eſteemed for his great Parts, Learning, Judgment and Eloquence; and for his eaſy, polite, entertaining and inſtructive Converſation. He has left his Son-in-law, W. Morrice, Eſq; Executor, who ſets out this morning for France, to take Care of his Interment, which (we hear) will be in Weſtminſter Abbey.

Paris, Feb. 27. Letters from Madrid of the 12th aſſure us, that they work inceſſantly in all the Spaniſh Ports of the Mediterranean, in order to equip a conſiderable Armament; that 24,000 Men are deſign'd for the Expedition, which are actually on their March for Catalonia, where the Embarkation is to be made; but to what Intent is unknown, tho' ſome affirm, 'tis to recover the City of Oran on the Coaſt of Barbary; and others, that Spain will now take Vengeance on the Algerines.

Bruſſels, March 7. They write from Vienna of the 23d paſt, that they had learnt that the *Turks* continue their Preparations for War with Vigour, and 'tis ſaid, had declared to M. Dahlman, that they deſigned to invade the Venetian Territories.

Paris, March 8. N. S. 'Tis ſaid that all the Spaniſh Troops deſigned for the Expedition ſo often mentioned, are now actually arrived in Catalonia.

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London, March 2. We hear, that ſince Leave has been given to bring in a Bill in Behalf of the Hatters of this Kingdom, to prevent the Northern Colonies from interfering and ſupplying foreign Markets with their Manufactures, that the Leatherſellers, Saddlers, Tallow-chandlers, Cabinet-makers, &c. are preparing Petitions to obtain the ſame Relief.

Laſt Night the new born Daughter of the Lord Baltimore was baptiſed at his Lordſhip's Houſe in Groſvenor Square, when the Prince of Wales ſtood Godfather, and the Princeſs Royal Godmother, in Perſon.

March 7. It is written from Lisbon, the 20th ult. N. S. that the Fleet which arrived there from Bahia, in Brazil, is ſaid to have brought 12375 Cheſts of Sugar, 11170 Rolls of Tobacco, and a very large Quantity of Gold, but the Quantity of Diamonds was leſs than expected.

March 11. Yeſterday the Death Warrant came down to Newgate, ordering the Execution of John Ellis the Pirate, at Execution Dock, on Monday next.

Charleſtown, S. Carolina, April 8. We hear from Savanah Town, that on the 22d of March laſt, the Floods were ſo great, that the River there roſe 27 Foot perpendicular in one day, did a deal of Damage, deſtroy'd much Cattle, and carried away 2 Periaguas, one was afterwards found at New Savanah Town, and the other loſt.

Cuſtom-Houſe, New-York, May 8. *Inward Entries.*

Vanpelt from N. Carolina, Hunt from S. Carolina, Jeggles and Frith from Hiſpaniola, Sidy from Providence, Burrows from Tortuga, Schermerhorn from Boſton, James from Philadelphia. *Outward Entries*, Birch for Lisbon, Tucker and Powle for Barbadoes, Fred for Jamaica, Godfrey for Rhode-iſland, Scheim for Boſton. *Cleared*, James to Philadelphia, Kierſtede and Todd to Jamaica, Bedford and Fowle to Barbadoes, Godfrey to Rhodeiſland.

Cuſtom-Houſe, Philadelphia, Entred inwards.

Ship John & Ann, Ja. Shirley, from Plymouth & Madera.
Sloop Sarah, Richard Gilbert, from Turks Iſland.
Scooner Endeavour, John Read, from Lewes.
Sloop Deborah, John Jennings, from Bermuda.
Sloop Tryal, Stafford Somerſet, from St. Chriſtophers.
Sloop Nymphid, Daniel Jennings, from Turks Iſland.
Sloop Sea Nymph, Thomas Gilbert, from Bermuda.

Entred outwards.

Sloop Benjamin, Joſeph Evans, for Barbadoes.
Ship Conſtantine, Edward Wright, for ditto.
Ship Philadelphia, John Ball, for Jamaica.
Snow Lovely-Hannah, J. Wilcocks, for Newfoundland.
Brigt. Parrat, John Richmond, for Madera.
Sloop Deborah, John Jennings, for Barbadoes.

Cleared.

Sloop Elizabeth, Conrade Jones, to Barbadoes.
Sloop Edward and Eliz. Henry Todd, to Ditto.
Ship Tryal, Samuel Bicknel, to Madera.

PHILADELPHIA, *May* 11.

They write from Boſton, that by their laſt Advices from London, 'tis generally thought the Act for reſtraining the Trade of the Northern Colonies, would paſs in Parliament.

From Lancaſter County we hear, that at a Court of Oyer and Terminer held there laſt Week, A Man and his Wife's Siſter were try'd for the Murder of her Baſtard Child, and both condemn'd to die.

The Report of the Death of Mr. Read of Newcaſtle, proves a Miſtake.

Prices of the following Goods, Wheat 2 s. 6 d. Flour 8s. Midling Bread 12s. Mixt ditto 10s.. Brown ditto 9s. Rum 2 s. 4 d. Mellaſſes 16 d.

Advertiſements.

For BARBADOES directly,

THE *Ship* John & Anna, *James Shirley, Maſter, will ſail with all Expedition, having already one half of her Lading engaged. Any Gentlemen, Merchants or others, having a mind to tranſport themſelves or Goods, may apply to* John Reynell *at his Store in Waterſtreet, or to ſaid Commander on board ſaid Ship, now lying at* W. Fiſhbourn's *Wharff, with whom they may agree on reaſonable Terms.*

Philadelphia, 9th of 3d mo. 1732.

A Likely young Negro Fellow, about 19 *or* 20 *Years of Age, to be diſpoſed of: He is very fit for Labour, being uſed to Plantation Work, and has had the Small-Pox. Enquire of the Printer hereof.*

To be Sold,

A Choice Tract of Land well ſtored with Timber and Wood, having a good Stone Quarry *thereon; containining* 407 *Acres, a conſiderable Part whereof is fit to be cultivated into Meadow, ſituate in the Northern Liberties, between this Place and Frankfort, diſtant hence about* 3 *miles and a half, bounded to the Weſtward above a Mile upon Frankford Creek. Whoever has a Mind to purchaſe the ſame, may agree with* William Rawle. *Philadelphia*, 11th, 3 mo. 1732.

RUN away the 29*th of April laſt from* Thomas Lindley *of* Philadelphia *Smith, a Servant Man named* John Roe, *aged about* 25 *Years, a luſty well ſet man, of a pale complexion, full noſe and large heavy eyes. Had on a fine Hat, brown natural Wigg, plain brown drugget Coat, light colour'd Kerſey Waſtecoat, dark cloth Breeches, grey worſted Stockings and old Shoes (went in Company with a woman of ſhort ſtature, brown Complexion, long noſe, and has a large ſcar on one of her Arms) Whoever ſecures the ſaid Servant ſo that his Maſter may have him again, ſhall have* Twenty Shillings *Reward, and reaſonable Charges paid by* Thomas Lindley.

RUN away the 20*th of April, from* John Riley *near Cheſter, a Servant Man named* Henry Edwards, *a Weſt-countryman, by Trade a Wool-Comber, tall and ſlim, with good dark brown Hair, and writes a pretty good hand. He had on a new ſnuff-colour'd homeſpun Coat and Jacket with braſs Buttons, Leather Breeches, an old Shirt, woollen Stockins near the colour of his clothes, old Shoes and a Felt Hat. He had near Three Pounds in his Pocket, and was ſeen the ſame Night at* 9 *a clock, at Mr.* Dunning's *the* George *Inn, in this City. Whoever ſecures the ſaid Servant, and gives Notice to his Maſter, or to* Abraham Prat *of* Philadelphia, *ſhall have* Forty Shillings *Reward, and reaſonable Charges paid by* John Riley.

ALL Perſons indebted to the Eſtate of John Roberts, *late of Philadelphia, deceaſed, who do not forthwith diſcharge their reſpective Debts, muſt without Delay be ſued by the Executors.* John White, *and* John Cadwalader.
April 27. 1732.

WHereas there has been lately a conſiderable Demand on Samuel Carpenter, *Brewer, Thoſe Perſons that are indebted to him, are hereby deſired to pay their ſeveral Debts before the firſt Day of* Auguſt *next; otherwiſe there muſt be legal Courſes taken to recover the ſame, without any further Notice given them. Thoſe Perſons that have any Demands on him, are deſired to bring in their Accounts within that Time, Care ſhall be taken to ſatisfy them. There is to be ſold by the ſaid* Samuel, *Strong Beer for* 24 *s. the Barrel, or* 12 *d. the Gallon; Good Ale for* 16 *s. the Barrel, or* 8 *d. the Gallon; and Middling Beer for* 8 *s. the Barrel, or* 4 *d. the Gallon. Thoſe that ſend clean Bottles with good Corks, may have the beſt Beer for* 4 *s. the Dozen, and Middling Beer for* 2 *s. the Dozen.*

RUN away from Richard Wright, *April* 17. *a Servant Man named* William Cole, *aged about* 24 *Years, a little ſhort Man, with a ſmooth Face, freſh-colour'd, and has ſhort black Hair. Had on an old Beaver Hat, and a grey Kerſey Coat with braſs Buttons, a light colour'd cloth Great Coat with a Cape, and one Corner of the Coat torn off, leather Breeches, ozenbrigs Shirt, grey yarn Stockings, ſtrong Shoes, and has a ſmall Lock on one of his Legs. Whoever ſecures the ſaid Servant, ſo that his Maſter may have him again, ſhall have* Forty Shillings Reward, *and reaſonable Charges paid by* R. Wright.

To be Sold,

THirty Acres of Land, ſituate in the Northern Liberties of the City of Philadelphia, *near* Edward Horn's *Plantation. Whoſoever has a mind to buy, may enquire of* George Bringhurſt *at* Germantown, *and know further.*

CHOICE Flour of *Muſtard-Seed*, in Bottles, very convenient for ſuch as go to Sea; to a little of which if you put hot Water, and ſtop it up cloſe, you will have ſtrong Muſtard, fit to uſe, in 15 minutes. Sold at the New Printing-Office near the Market, at 1 *s.* per Bot

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